

**REMARKS**

In view of the following remarks, Applicant respectfully requests allowance of the subject Application. Applicant believes this communication addresses all issues raised in the 2/21/06 Final Office Action.

Please note that on 2/9/06 Applicant discussed the present case with the Examiner via telephone. The discussion occurred after the Examiner completed the Final Office Action, but before the Final Office Action was received by Applicant. The rejections were discussed. The present communication is consistent with the discussion. Applicant believes that the claim rejections presented in the Final Office Action are moot in light of the present clarifying amendments.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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